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3.	×	(6), (9) and (24) indicated below.	ional examination procedures (35 0.5.C	C. 371(f)). The submission must include items (5),
4:	$\boxtimes$	The US has been elected (Article 31).		
5.	$\boxtimes$	A copy of the International Application	n as filed (35 U.S.C. 371 (c) (2))	
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6.	$\boxtimes$	An English language translation of the	International Application as filed (35 U	J.S.C. 371(c)(2)).
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		b. has been previously submitted	d under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).	
7.	$\boxtimes$	Amendments to the claims of the Intern	national Application under PCT Article	19 (35 U.S.C. 371 (c)(3))
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8.			amendments to the claims under PCT A	Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)).
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10.		An English language translation of the Article 36 (35 U.S.C. 371 (c)(5)).	annexes to the International Preliminar	y Examination Report under PCT
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12.	$\boxtimes$	A copy of the International Search Rep	oort (PCT/ISA/210).	
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13.	$\boxtimes$	An Information Disclosure Statement	under 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98.	
14.		An assignment document for recording	g. A separate cover sheet in compliance	with 37 CFR 3.28 and 3.31 is included.
15.	$\boxtimes$	A FIRST preliminary amendment.		
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FOR:

VEHICLE SUSPENSION DEVICE COMPRISING AN ELASTIC JOINT WITH ADJUSTMENT MEANS

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Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

- No additional fee is required
- ☐ Small entity status of this application under 37 C.F.R. §1.9 and §1.27 is claimed.
- Additional documents filed herewith: PCT Transmittal Le

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